GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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AIDS KITS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have not given recognition to AIDS kits developed by some Indian Scientists though it had been approved by the World Health Organisation;

(b) if so, the reasons for not granting recognition till 29.4.2001;

(c) whether the Ministry has fully utilized the amount granted for the year 1999-2000; and

(d) if not, the reasons for not fully utilizing the allocated amount?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. AIDS kits developed by Indian Scientists have been evaluated and due recognitionis given by issuing license for manufacturing and marketing.

(c)& (d): Yes, Sir.